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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ( ) application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Scott David Lincke
entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MAINTAINING A UNIFIED VIEW OF MULTIPLE MAILBOXES for a(n):
( ) Original Patent Application.
(X) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
(X) Continuation ( ) Divisional ( ) Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior application No: <u>09/321,984</u> Filed on: <u>May 28, 1999</u> , which claims the
benefit of prior provisional application No: NA Filed on:
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